

Summary OF THE War News

Strong representations to Greece against the landing of French and British troops at Saloniki, have been made by Bulgaria, a London news agency dispatch from Sofia states.

Great Britain and France are determined to push with the military expedition started for the Serbian front through Saloniki, according to Athens advices received last night in Rome. King Constantine. It was stated, was given to understand this in a plain-spoken statement by the British minister at Athens.

Sinking of a German transport by a British submarine in the Baltic has been announced by the Russian war office.

Two British airmen, the Silvers and the Scowby, each of more than 3,500 tons register, have been sunk presumably in the progress of German submarine activity.

A.B.C. DELEGATES MEET LANSING IN FINAL CONFERENCE

Washington, Oct. 9.—Latin-American diplomats met with Secretary of State Lansing today in what many believed would be their final gathering. All the Mexican factions have been heard and it was believed that all which remained to be decided was which presented the strongest claims and offered the best evidence that it could maintain a stable government.

Data gathered by the conference which is said to show that Carranza is the strongest claimant, backed by Carranza's guarantee of protection to foreigners and their property, it was believed, would be the basis of recognition.

The effects of an announcement of an intention to recognize Carranza is believed would be to bring opposing elements to his support and remedy present needs. Carranza's agents showed little improvement in some parts of Mexico.

Judge Case Will Hear Suit of Levi Cobb Against Publishers

The first suit assigned for the opening term of the civil superior court is the action brought by Levi S. Cobb, the local newspaperman, against the Post Publishing Co. This is the first suit assigned for a hearing next Tuesday morning before Judge William S. Case.

Cobb alleges violation of contract. He says the Post Publishing Co. agreed to allow him to handle the entire output and later threatened to violate the terms of the contract. He wants the court to issue an injunction restraining the Post from selling its issues to anybody else.

HUNTERS GET LICENSE

Forty-seven hunters' licenses were issued from the town clerk's office today. All were licenses to residents for which the fee is \$1.25 each. Up to date 572 resident hunters' licenses have been issued in Bridgeport this season.

DIED.

GRANT—In this city, Friday, Oct. 3, 1915, Anna Jane, widow of Lawrence Grant, aged 72 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Hambeck, No. 141 Frank street, on Monday, Oct. 11th, at 2:30 p. m., from St. Patrick's church at 1 o'clock. Burial at St. Michael's cemetery.

WHEELER—In Danbury, Oct. 4, Charlotte E., widow of George W. Wheeler, of Bethel, aged 85.

DAVIS—At Sound Beach, Oct. 6, in his 91st year Edgar Davis.

OWEN—In Stamford, Oct. 5, George G. Owen, aged 80.

SITUATION WANTED

—By a young man 30 years of age, any kind work. Albert Linger, 165 Spruce St., City.

BOARD AND ROOM

—For two gentlemen, all conveniences, private family, home cooking, 120 Arctic St. Mrs. Egbert.

RAZORS AND GUARDS for sale.

Honing and sharpening, satisfaction guaranteed; razors, safety razors, 212 Warner Bldg., 83 Fairfield Ave. a.p.

AGENTS—If you want to earn more money send for our catalog of repeat order articles. Particulars free. Stow Supply Co., Box 57, Boulevard, Brookline, Mass. a.p.

WANTED—Man traveled, age 27 to 30, experience unnecessary; salary, commission and expense allowance to right man. J. H. McGrath, Chicago. a.p.

WANTED—Housewives to write for useful, necessary articles. Use in every home; absolutely free. For particulars address Higwood Co-operative Co., 243 Angus St., Highwood, Conn. G9a.p

FOR SALE—Stratford, 7-room house, gas, well, pump, sink, barn, henery, fruit, lot 100x870, about 12 minutes to trolley, 50 acres; \$3,500, part cash; also fine lawn and new roller, moderate prices; also houses and lots. W. W. Beers, Paradise Green. a.p.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy shown us in our late bereavement in the loss of our son, Harold F. Keenan. We especially desire to thank Holy Name Society and members of First Fifth and Eagle Corps, and to all for beautiful floral tokens sent.

MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL CONLEY AND FAMILY.

NOTICE

Regular meeting of Bartender's Union will be held Sunday afternoon, October 10, at 2:30, at their rooms. A full attendance is requested.

HARRY DE VINE, President.

HARRY R. LEE, Fin. Secy.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE IS OPENED TODAY WITH CEREMONIES

Gov. Holcomb, City Officials and Educators at Exercises in New London.

New London, Oct. 9.—The Connecticut College for Women was opened today with exercises in Thames Hall, which is one of the main buildings in the present group which constitute the college settlement. There was a luncheon following which a number of prominent guests extended congratulations and made short addresses. Prior to this hour there had been an inspection of the grounds and new buildings.

The guests to the luncheon were marshalled into an academic procession at New London hall and headed by President Frederick H. Sykes and Governor Marcus H. Holcomb. It proceeded to the new flagstaff on the campus and thence to Thames Hall. Among those in line were the presidents of several universities, and co-educational institutions and women's colleges, officers of the state, New London municipal officials and a number of city officers who had identified themselves with the establishment of the college, including Morton F. Plant, whose liberality made possible the erection of Plant and Blackstone Houses for dormitories.

After the luncheon Mr. Plant was given the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws honoris causa.

The Connecticut College for Women was given a charter by the General Assembly of 1911 and it was the fruition of a movement begun three years before by members of the Hartford College club who, as they expressed it, believed the time was appropriate for the arousing of public sentiment in behalf of a new college for women in the state.

This movement quickly received a hearty response from other college women and financial assistance was given by the city of New London at which possible sites were discussed and considered and the incorporation, on Jan. 14, 1911, voted to accept the offer of a site tendered by the city of New London. The charter was received in the following April.

The college has an endowment of about a million and a half dollars. Of this amount Mr. Plant has contributed \$1,125,000, the city of New London \$100,000 and the balance has come from individuals in small amounts.

Professor Frederick H. Sykes, of Columbia University, was chosen president by the trustees in 1913 and since that time he has personally looked after the organization of the college administration. Meetings for the young women number 125 and it has already been enrolled.

OBITUARY

FLORENCE LILLIAN PECK
The funeral of Florence Lillian, infant daughter of Spencer B. and Alice Maude Peck, was held at 2:30 this afternoon from the home of her parents, 25 Maiden lane, Rev. W. W. Aronson, pastor of Trinity Episcopal church, conducted the services. Interment was at Sound Beach.

LUCY L. HINE
Services were held at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the undertaking parlors of M. J. Gannon over the remains of Lucy L. Hine, wife of George H. Hine of Central avenue. Rev. John P. Wagner, pastor of Summer St. Episcopal church, conducted the services. The body will be taken on the 9:35 train tomorrow morning to Mass., where interment will be made.

JOHN A'HEARN
The funeral of John A'Hearn was held from his late home, 504 Shelton street, this morning at 8:30 o'clock. From St. Charles church at 9, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated for the repose of his soul by the Rev. J. J. McGivney. It was followed by the immediate relatives and friends of the deceased. The bearers were the friends of the family. Interment was in the family plot at St. Michael's cemetery.

MARY LYNCH KEANE
The funeral of Mary Lynch, wife of Daniel P. Keane, was held from her late residence, 551 Washington avenue, at 8:30 this morning and a half hour later from St. Augustine's church, where the solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James B. Nichill, assisted by Rev. Edward V. Murphy as deacon and Rev. Robert J. Bowen as sub-deacon. Rev. John C. Lynch, rector of St. Patrick's church and cousin of Mrs. Keane, was master of ceremonies. There were a number of beautiful floral pieces about the casket, including among which was a handsome standing wreath from the Connecticut National bank, where Mrs. Keane had been employed for more than 23 years. The church was crowded with relatives and friends of the deceased. The church choir, under the direction of Prof. A. T. Brimley, sang the responses to the mass. At the offertory Miss Aurelia Berger sang "Domine" and after the mass, "Some Sweet Day." The automobile funeral cortege moved to Newtown, where interment was in St. Rose's cemetery. Rev. Father Sinnott, pastor of St. Rose's church, Newtown, read the committal service. The bearers were John Edward, Thomas, John F. and Daniel Keane and R. Reilly.

TO CONFER DEGREE OF E. A. WEDNESDAY

At a special communication of St. John's lodge, No. 3, to be held at the Masonic temple Wednesday evening, Oct. 13, the E. A. degree will be worked.

NOBLE BLAKELEY CASE.

Judge Bartlett in city court this morning ordered a nolle entered in the case of George J. Blakeley of East Main street, Stratford, arrested Monday on a charge of reckless driving of a motor vehicle on Fairfield avenue.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Kelly, 600 Union avenue, welcomed a 10-pound son this morning. The proud father is passing out Perfectos to his friends.

MAXIMUM FINE FOR DRIVER IN AUTO FATALITY

Stamford Man Whose Passenger Was Hurlled to Death Is Punished.

Charles C. Bland of 113 Forest avenue, Stamford, charged with reckless driving, was fined the maximum that the Connecticut laws allow this morning in the city court when Judge F. A. Bartlett assessed him \$100 and costs.

Bland was first fined \$200 and costs, but it was learned later that the statutes have placed the limit at \$100.

Bland was driving a car at State street intersection when, in passing a trolley car, the machine ran into a telephone pole. Ina Bennett, of Wilton, who was riding on the folded top, in the rear, was hurled to the pavement and killed. Emma Eiling of Herbert street, Wilton, was slightly injured.

Chief William Brennan of Stamford testified, in a letter to Prosecuting Attorney A. L. Delaney, that the character of the defendant is excellent. Policeman E. V. Cassidy said he would not declare that Bland was intoxicated, although he had been drinking.

"This is an unfortunate happening," said Judge Bartlett in reviewing the case. "A fine is not the proper way to dispose of this matter. I will work, however, on the theory that Coroner Phelan has made a thorough investigation and finds no criminal negligence."

Judge Bartlett fined him \$200. Later Coroner Hugh J. Leavary pointed out that the statutes limit the fine in such a case, and it was reduced to \$100.

PILE 1,300 RUSSIAN WAR VICTIMS IN ONE GRAVE AT PITROKOW

Pitrokov, Poland, Oct. 9.—It is doubtful that any place in the war zone contains a grave of such proportions as Pitrokov. Beside the little Russian cemetery, itself filled with individual graves of both Russians and Germans, is a vast mound covering 1,300 Russians who fell in the fighting here last November. The mound, which is at one corner of the battlefield, is marked by more than a score of crosses, each bearing the names of the men lying under it.

E. T. Buckingham Confined to Bed With Severe Cold

Compensation Commissioner E. T. Buckingham has been confined to his bed at his home in North Main St. for the last three days. He developed a severe cold early in the week, which did not rapidly yield to treatment and his physician, Dr. John H. Budaw, fearing serious consequences, ordered him to bed.

Steals Fred Wren's Raincoat; Goes To Jail For 30 Days

Fred Wren, head salesman for the firm of McMahon & Wren left his machine standing outside the Army yesterday. Gus McKee of 551 Huntington road stole a raincoat from the machine. McKee was later arrested by a local detective. In city court this morning he was sentenced to 30 days in jail.

Patrick McGuire Wants Decree Of Separation

Patrick McGuire of this city has brought suit for divorce proceedings in the civil superior court against Elizabeth McGuire of Kingston, N. Y. Descent October 1, 1915. Alleged. The couple were married October 27, 1902.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The Ladies of St. Patrick's parish, led by Mrs. Christopher Weidow, will hold a whist and pinocle at the church parlors on Parallel street Monday evening. During the playing vocal and instrumental selections will be given.

A most enjoyable social was held at the home of Miss Loretta Jackson, 342 Grove street, last Sunday evening. Various games and dancing were indulged in. Vocal and instrumental selections were given by Mr. Heaphy and Mr. McCue. Late in the evening dancing was enjoyed. Among those present were the Misses Kathryn Regan, Mary Regan, Josephine Savage, Florence Utter, Josephine Fanning, Elsie Leonard, Loretta Jackson, Eugene Farman, Harold Farman, Joseph Glenn, Rudolph Billings, William Campbell, John Nagle and Albert Fay.

BAGGAGEMASTER HURT AS TRAINS COLLIDE.

Lynchburg, Va., Oct. 9.—The New Orleans—New York Limited of the Southern Railway, bound north, was in head-on collision with a south-bound local passenger train early today near Arlington, Va. No passengers on the limited were injured but a baggagemaster was seriously hurt. Several of the passengers, most of them negroes, on the local, were hurt, none of them fatally.

It was at first reported that several passengers on the limited had been hurt and doctors were dispatched to the scene.

YAKU INDIANS AGAIN RAIDING COAST TOWNS.

Douglas, Ariz., Oct. 9.—A small band of Yaku Indians raided the towns of El Oro, San Gerónimo, Sagua, Santa Maria in the Ures district of Sonora, last Monday, according to word received here today. Several Chinese merchants were killed and food and clothing were taken from inhabitants of those towns. The refugees told the story.

SENATOR LYMAN WEDS.

Middletown, Conn., Oct. 9.—Henry H. Lyman, who was Senator at the 33rd district, was married this afternoon in Milwaukee to Miss Margaret Seman. His best man was William M. Matthe, executive secretary of Governor Holcomb.

BRIDGEPORT YOUTH IS ARRESTED FOR COUNTERFEITING

Edward Carroll, 17, Lived In Cave and Made Half Dollars, Officials Say.

Edward Wilbur, aged 48, of 1,947 Washington street, South End, Boston, and Edward Carroll, 17, of this city, were arraigned before Commissioner Hayes in the federal court at Boston yesterday, charged with making, having in their possession, and passing counterfeit half dollars.

Both men pleaded not guilty. They were held in \$3,000 each for a hearing on Oct. 15. Secret Service Agent Mennasse was the complainant.

Wilbur and Carroll were arrested last Thursday evening when about to board a New York train at South station. Wilbur was charged with carrying a loaded revolver and Carroll for being a suspicious character. A little while after taken into custody Wilbur confessed to Mennasse that Carroll and he have been making counterfeit half dollars in a cave in a lonely section of West Roxbury and then circulating the bogus money in the amount of "bogus" money. They were searched and more than 100 counterfeit half dollars of the dates 1901, 1905, and 1907 were found in their possession. They were questioned as to the source of the money and Carroll successfully turned out good coin, but refused to answer this question, although the federal authorities have reason to believe that many storekeepers in the town near Boston were swindled. Their suspicions were confirmed when Chief Pollard of the Wakefield police telephoned that men who struck last Monday night at Carroll and Carroll had exchanged several counterfeit half dollars for good silver from the town storekeepers.

Bogus half dollars have also been answered by the federal authorities. They thought that the same parties were the guilty ones.

BURGLARS FALL IN EFFORT TO LOOT 2 HOMES

Several attempts at burglary reported at police headquarters during the night, including the homes of Edward S. Seelye, 245 Broadway, and George H. Edwards, 276 Park avenue, show that crooks are still at work in this city.

At the Seelye home an attempt was made to enter through the outside ice box which failed.

A maid in the Edwards home frustrated the robbers, who were scared away when electric porch light flooded the front of the home.

CONFERENCES BEGUN IN SCHENECTADY'S STRIKE

Schenectady, N. Y., Oct. 9.—Representatives of the 10,000 employees of the General Electric Co., who struck last Monday for an eight-hour day, company officials and the state board of arbitration began today a conference in an effort to settle their differences. There was a general belief that a compromise would be effected. However, as the employees' committee has no power to accept any proposition for a settlement unless it is approved by a general advisory committee and the various locals, it seemed unlikely that work in the shops could be resumed before Tuesday or Wednesday of next week.

DUNNE HIGHWAY TOUR STARTS FROM CHICAGO

Chicago, Oct. 9.—With Governor Dunne of Illinois as the official guest, 25 automobiles were ready today to start on the 1,500 mile tour over the Dixie highway, a thorough route from Chicago to Miami, Fla.

Governor Dunne will ride with M. M. Allison of Chattanooga, Tenn., leaving the tourists in Danville, Ill. The other motorists will consist of directors of the highway association from southern states.

The start southward was to be made after the dedicatory exercises in Grant park, on Chicago's lake front.

Springfield Man Gets Ownership Of Water Street Store

Within the past few days the property at 641 Water street has passed from the ownership of Mrs. Rosa Cohen to the ownership of Eli Cohen of Springfield, Mass. This is the property in which the White House Clothing Co., one of the oldest clothing and furnishing goods houses in the city, is located.

The property was originally part of the Samuel M. Hawley estate. It is a brick building, three stories high, with 27 feet front, south of the property is Frank E. Lally. It extends from Water street to the alley between the Sagal building and the Poll building. The Bridgeport Savings bank yesterday foreclosed a mortgage on the property, which they held against Mrs. Reich.

Sigmund Morris of Altoona, Penn., then bought the property from the bank, paying \$17,000 for it. Papers filed in the town clerk's office today show that he has transferred it to Eli Cohen of Springfield.

The property is one of the oldest business buildings in Water street, but it has been remodeled a number of times until, now it has all modern conveniences. The late Isadore Reich established a clothing and furnishing business in the building, which he called the White House Clothing Store, about 25 years ago. The first store was several doors south of the present location. Reich prospered and then he decided to buy the property that has just been taken over by Cohen and to move his business there. The Bridgeport Savings bank took the mortgage which has just been foreclosed. Reich was apparently in prosperous circumstances when death claimed him. For a time his widow conducted a lodging house in Water street, but the store known as the Commercial House. This lodging house is now conducted by Charles Phillipian.

San Francisco reported an earthquake.

CHINA RELAXES OPIUM WAR FOR SAKE OF FUNDS

Vast Store of Drug Is Permitted to Be Taken In to Province.

Peking, Oct. 9.—The effects of the war upon China have been severe in many ways, and one of the worst is that the government, driven for need of money to desperate straits, has now been compelled to relax, for the purposes of revenue, on the splendid opium reform which it achieved in recent years to the amazement of the world.

The Chinese government has been living for a number of years largely on loans procured from European countries. These loans came to an abrupt end when the war began. The Chinese government endeavored to make domestic loans, but succeeded only in a comparatively insignificant way. It is now trying to institute a new system of taxation, but is making little progress; and recently agents of the Ministry of Finance have come to an agreement with a combination of foreign opium merchants in Shanghai to permit six thousand cases which have been lying there for over a year to enter the province of Kiangsu on payment of a surtax of \$1,500 a case, making for the government \$3,000,000.

These six thousand cases represent the last of the Indian opium that will come legally to China. This was stock which was forfeited by the British government in India and permitted to come to China during the last few years before the British government finally terminated the shipments to this country. Since that time opium merchants in Shanghai have been fighting hard to get the drug into China, and the Chinese have been struggling to keep it out. Now, however, the Chinese Ministry of Finance, Chow Hsueh-hsi, being driven to desperate ends, has (undoubtedly with the sanction of President Yuan, without whose approval it could not be done) agreed to settle this long standing question by allowing opium to be consumed in Kiangsu for, it is estimated, at least two more years.

Meantime, governors of different provinces, according to authentic and persistent reports, have also modified their restrictions on the planting of the poppy, because of the need of money and the large revenue which can be derived from the sale and transit of opium.

SIEMON STRIKERS MEET TO ACT ON RETURN TO WORK

Workers Confident of Satisfactory Termination of Strike.

At the meeting of the Siemon Hard Rubber Co. employees, which started at 2 o'clock this afternoon, it was expected an agreement would be reached for a return to work Monday.

Although nothing for publication was issued by those in charge of the strike, it is understood that favorable overtures were made by the company.

The strikers met this afternoon to consider the proposition. It is expected they will receive increased wages, the 50 hour week and other concessions.

Henry Cunliffe, president of the strikers' organization at the Silt's Textile Co., asserted today that every member of the committee of employees thus treated with the company has been discharged.

CEDERHOLM WON'T TAKE NOMINATION FROM SOCIALISTS

Socialist, Recently Arrested for Speaking to Workers, Too Busy Now

Because he believes his work as an organizer for the American Federation of Labor will preclude his making an active campaign for mayor of Bridgeport, Frederick Cederholm has decided to decline the nomination for the Socialist party. He has written a letter to that effect and it is expected he will be in Bridgeport tomorrow to explain his reasons to the members of the party at a meeting to be held tomorrow afternoon in Social headquarters.

Mr. Cederholm, who is a former alderman, was employed as a machinist at the time of the strike at the Locomobile factory, with George J. Bowen, business agent of the machinists' union and Louis J. Nelson, he was attempting to address a mass meeting of the strikers on private property in the South End, when by orders of Mayor Wilson he was arrested on a charge of breach of the peace.

Mr. Cederholm then took up the work as an organizer for the Machinists' union. He first worked in Waterbury and later in New Britain. There are strikes in New Britain at present and because of the unsettled labor conditions there, Mr. Cederholm does not think he can conscientiously leave New Britain at this time, to engage in the campaign in Bridgeport.

Another candidate will probably be named at the meeting of the Socialists tomorrow. It is believed that Jasper McLeary, who has several times before been the candidate will again be nominated in place of former Alderman Cederholm.

CITY OFFICIALS AT AUTOMOBILE RACES

Mayor Wilson, City Clerk Robinson and William E. Seelye attended the automobile races at Sheephead Bay, L. I. today. They made the trip in Mr. Seelye's Packard car.

The Bank of England sold \$300,000 in bar gold and exported \$200,000 to the Continent.

HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main Street, Fairfield Avenue, and Cannon Street.
Bridgeport, Conn.
Saturday, Oct. 9, 1915.

The Weather:—Fair and colder tonight; frost; fair Sunday.

Store open until 9 o'clock Saturday Evening

Nice suit, made from nice woolen, to order—\$20.

Great majority of women who read this news may choose a handsome woolen such as we are selling today at \$1.50 a yard, and have a suit made to order for \$20.

Women whose measure is above 46, may choose from same materials and have suit made for \$22.

Splendid materials they are too!

Handsome serges and broadcloths and poplins, bright and cheerful mixtures in which many colors appear but with one seasonable tone prevailing over all others.

Autumn's favored colors are plenty in the collection. Russian green, and deep brown, and deep blue;—all here. With them is deep rich black.

Styles are just as attractive—Correct and new, varied, adapted to the various types of figure.

Let us make it very clear that this one charge covers all the cost of suit except for special trimmings such as fur and velvet.

It includes a jacket lining of Skinner's guaranteed satin. It includes buttons covered with the suiting material. It includes all the necessary findings.

Each suit is guaranteed to be satisfactory; none is finished till it has been tried on and thoroughly carefully fitted.

Choice of entire variety of \$1.50 woolens—
Choice of all seasonable colors—
Choice of several new styles—

\$20.

Main floor rear.

HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

Large Endowment For Education Work In Ranks Of Boy Scouts

New York, Oct. 9.—Reports made public concerning the quarterly meeting of the executive board of the Boy Scouts of America, held in New York this week, included an announcement that through gifts of money from Francis P. Dodge and Sigmund Eisner, a department of education will be established to develop the educational features of the Boy Scout program. Mr. Dodge contributed \$3,500 a year, and Mr. Eisner \$2,000. The executive board is endeavoring to find a man with the proper equipment to head the new department. The attitude of the Boy Scouts toward the problem of national preparedness was a subject of discussion at the meeting, after which the executive board passed unanimously the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the executive board take the position that it would be inappropriate for the Boy Scouts of America to take any official action which might be construed as a question of policy for the United States government in matters capable of difference of opinion of a political character. Each official and member should be given the opportunity for freedom of thought and action as an individual but not as a representative of the Scout Movement."

The report of the Chief Scout Executive shows that 3,023 men enrolled as leaders of Boy Scouts during the past four months, an increase of 100 per cent. as compared with the same period of the previous year. It also states that, from June to October, 29,375 boys enrolled as scouts as compared with 17,800 for the same period in 1914. There are today in good standing 143,084 scouts as compared with 93,978 at this time last year.

A sorrel horse, white faced and short cut tail found by the police on Congress street bridge last Wednesday, still awaits a claimant at Peck & Lines' livery stable.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES

The postponed Astor Cup race will be held at the Sheephead Bay Speedway today.

King Frederick August of Saxony captured two escaped Russian prisoners of war.

Eight hundred employees of the Michigan Alkali Co., at Ford City, a suburb of Detroit, went on strike today. 200 others who walked out on Thursday.

Dr. Talcott Williams, director of the Columbia School of Journalism, predicted that within a few years newspaper reporters would be compelled by the state to pass an examination.

President Wilson, upon recommendation of Secretary Lane, issued a proclamation creating the Dinosaur National Monument in Utah.

After a record breaking trip, the Norwegian-American steamer Bergensford arrived at New York from Bergen with 275 passengers.

Captain Roger Wells, commandant at the Newport naval training station, has been assigned to command the new super-dreadnought Oklahoma.

Throwing Men Overboard.

In ancient Scotland the barbarous custom existed which cost Jonah so much inconvenience. When a ship became unmanageable it was usual to cast lots for the purpose of discovering who was responsible for the trouble, and the man upon whom the lot fell was condemned. Instead of human beings dogs used sometimes to be thrown into the sea with their legs bound.